

SB3078



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

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Introduced 2/19/2016, by Sen. Scott M. Bennett

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

105 ILCS 5/2-3.167 new

Amends the School Code. Requires the State Board of Education to (i) annually confer and reach agreement with the Illinois Community College Board, the Department of Employment Security, and the Illinois Career and Technical Administrators Association to identify industries and occupations within this State that face workforce shortages or shortages of adequately trained, entry-level workers; (ii) annually notify school districts of these identified industries and occupations and make this information available on its Internet website; and (iii) approve industry-recognized certification programs designed to mitigate workforce shortages in any of the identified industries or occupations. Requires the Illinois Community College Board to (i) annually confer and reach agreement with the State Board of Education, the Department of Employment Security, and the Illinois Career and Technical Administrators Association to identify industries and occupations within this State that face workforce shortages or shortages of adequately trained, entry-level workers; (ii) annually notify community college districts of the identified industries and occupations and make this information available on its Internet website; and (iii) approve industry-recognized certification programs designed to mitigate workforce shortages in any of the identified industries or occupations. Effective July 1, 2017.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning education.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The School Code is amended by adding Section
5 2-3.167 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 5/2-3.167 new)

7 Sec. 2-3.167. Annual career and technical education
8 program review.

9 (a) The State Board of Education shall:

10 (1) annually confer and reach agreement with the
11 Illinois Community College Board, the Department of
12 Employment Security, and the Illinois Career and Technical
13 Administrators Association to identify industries and
14 occupations within this State that face workforce
15 shortages or shortages of adequately trained, entry-level
16 workers;

17 (2) annually notify school districts of the identified
18 industries and occupations and make this information
19 available on its Internet website; and

20 (3) approve industry-recognized certification programs
21 designed to mitigate workforce shortages in any of the
22 industries or occupations identified under item (1) of this
23 subsection (a).

- 1 (b) The Illinois Community College Board shall:
- 2 (1) annually confer and reach agreement with the State
3 Board of Education, the Department of Employment Security,
4 and the Illinois Career and Technical Administrators
5 Association to identify industries and occupations within
6 this State that face workforce shortages or shortages of
7 adequately trained, entry-level workers;
- 8 (2) annually notify community college districts of the
9 identified industries and occupations and make this
10 information available on its Internet website; and
- 11 (3) approve industry-recognized certification programs
12 designed to mitigate workforce shortages in any of the
13 industries or occupations identified under item (1) of this
14 subsection (b).

15 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect July 1,
16 2017.